

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| In re Application of: |) | |
| | : | Examiner: Cindy Nguyen |
| TOSHIAKI IGARASHI |) | |
| | : | TC/Art Unit: 2161 |
| Application No.: 10/784,973 |) | |
| | : | Conf. No.: 8991 |
| Filed: February 25, 2004 |) | |
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| For: NETWORK |) | March 2, 2009 (Monday) |

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AMENDMENT, STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF
INTERVIEW, AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant petitions to extend the time for responding to the Office Action dated October 31, 2008, for one month, to and including March 2, 2009 (February 28, 2009, having been a Saturday). The extension fee of \$130.00 has been paid herewith. Please charge any additional fee required for the extension, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 06-1205.

A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal was filed herewith. Prior to continued examination on the merits, and in response to the Office Action mailed on October 31, 2008, the Examiner is requested to amend the above-identified application as follows:

- amendments to the claims are presented in the listing starting on page 2;
- a Statement of Substance of Interview is presented on page 13; and
- remarks are presented starting on page 14.